
COUNTY FAIR

Plan now for the annual County Fair to be held at the new fair grounds August 21 to 25 inclusive.

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As Others See Us

Los Angeles Times for July 31 in the column, "Lee Side o' L. A.," conducted by Lee Shippey

PLACERVILLE - Gold and gore and romance, history and notable forests, flashing mountain streams which dash over boulders and through caressing meadows as if as much in a hurry as traffic on Wilshire Blvd., and then suddenly grow placid and restful in broad pools and lakes. That is the road from Sacramento to Lake Tahoe. It takes you to Coloma, where James W. Marshall discovered a gold nugget in the bed of the American River which drove the whole world mad. There is a statue to Marshall there-the biggest statue to an individual that I have seen in California and one of the biggest I ever saw. Which may show what part luck plays in human affairs. Men have given their lives to science, to art, to music or literature and have died and been forgotten. Marshall stumbled over a piece of rock which made him famous for all time. It didn't make him of foreign interests and the symbol rich and I believe that when he saw how much richer many other men had grown as a result of his discovery he did a good deal of heavy drinking and died a disgruntled man. But his discovery made Italian and French forces in the inthousands of adventurous men set ternational settlement out from England and France and other European countries, as well as every state in the Union, to make the settlement and for extension of day, told his colleagues that the the population of California in- Tokyo's domination over a great measure is necessary to meet the crease faster than the increase could be counted. In 1850 El Dorado county, in which Coloma lies, had a population of 50,000 while Los Angeles county had a population of 7800. Today El Dorado county has a population of 18,000. Vast fortunes have been made there, but they never made El Dorado county

Hangtown

either rich or happy

Placerville is the capital of El Dorado county and a place well worth visiting, for you can hardly stop there to get gas at a service station without seeing a marker of the Pony Express on some historic spot which vividly recalls California's lusty youth as an American state. There was a hotel there to which the gold dust was brought for shipment to San Francisco, and they say that at times as much as \$3,000,000 worth of dust was parked on the veranda of that hotel, under guard. The town bore two or three names before it was designated as Placerville, Dry Diggin's being the first. The gold brought many of America's worst as well as many of her most adventurous, and a gang known as the Owls made a business of plundering those who made lucky strikes The miners were too busy seeking gold to care much about law and order, and that went on until three men plundered a Frenchman named Caillaux. They were so bold they thought Caillaux would not dare tell on them and did not leave town. The citizens captured the three bandits and hanged them, and then it struck them that that was a good judge who often held court in the street with the crowd for a jury, and a fine old tree which held out a strong arm for a hanging was put into service again and again. That was how the town got its nickname of Hangtown. Now Placerville has a Shakespeare club.

The Magdalens

A charming story of Placerville tells of its first morality crusade In boom times it had a population of 10,000, nearly all men. But what women there were they were in clearly defined groups, the good ones and the other kind. The good ones started a morality wave which swept all the other kind out of town-but not very far out of town. Then an epidemic threatened to devastate the town and there was a dearth of women's nursing. A hurry call was sent to the bad ladies to return and help the good women nurse the stricken miners. They responded generously and when the epidemic passed it was felt that they had earned the right remain. Placerville may have had its little faults, from a strictly legal point of view, but it never has been guilty of ingratitude-even to this day.

Placerville Pair Wed Thursday At Reno

Among licenses to wed reported as issued Thursday at Reno is one granted to Henry N. O'Neil, 36, and Marie E. Waddell, 36, both of Plac-

BRITAIN PLANS The following appeared in The WITHIRAWAL

British Action Leaves Marines Alone In Shanghai Settlement

> By JOE ALEX MORRIS U. P. Foreign News Editor

Great Britain waged increasingly urious aerial war against Germany and Italy today but created a sensation in the Far East by ordering withdrawal of British troops from China.

Between 2,000 and 3.000 British roops at Shanghai, Peiping and Tientsin were ordered to other far eastern posts, reportedly at the "request" of Japan.

While the small number of foreign (except Japanese) forces in China are of minor military importance, they have been the guardians of Occidental power since the opium war of 100 years ago.

The British withdrawal (which does not affect the crown colony of Hong Kong) left United States. Japanese campaign for control of East Asia.

The necessity for Britain to bolster empire defenses at vital points and eliminate weak sectors such as China was emphasized by the trend of the war in Europe and Africa.

In the Brtish Isles, German air planes renewed bombing raids in almost all parts of England and Wales. following unprecedented air battles vesterday in which about 109 airplanes of both sides were reported shot down.

The British air ministry claimed that 60 German planes—said to represent one-seventh or more of the attacking force-were destroyed in about three battles on Thursday while at least two more were shot down this morning in new raids. Britain lost only 16 planes, the ministry said. Overnight there were reports that some 70 German planes had been shot down.

The Germans claimed the de (Continued on Page Three)

U.S. Declines Comment

Troop Movement Claimed "At Request" Of Japan; 109 Planes Down In Battle

WASHINGTON, (UP) - State department spokesmen declined comment today on Britain's decision to withdraw her troops from Shanghai and North China. They would not idea and somebody should have say whether there was any possi-thought of it before. They elected a bility that United States troops also might be withdrawn.

This country has about 1500 marnes in the Far East, approximately 1000 of which are in Shanghai and about 250 each at Tientsin and Pei-

ping. American marines have shared with the British the work of preserving peace and order in the International settlement at Shanghai. Withdrawal of the British leaves the marines holding the area alone. United States troops were sent to Shanghai in 1927 after consultation with the British and French.

French troops police the French oncession which is separate from the international settlement.

Appeasement Noted TOKYO, (IP) — The withdrawal of British troops from China was regarded by Japanese today as an expected development but it gen- fires near El Dorado Wednesday erally was believed that the future night status of American and Italian forces in Shanghai would be of the greatest importance in Japan's campaign to restrict foreign influence in the Far East.

The British withdrawal, of which the British embassy notified the foreign office, was considered by diplomats as part of the efforts of the London government to "appease" Japan.

C. B. Morse, of the regional forest office of lands, at San Francisco, was on Eldorado Forest Friday.

with relatives and old-time friends. ka, Mr. Ward.

Captures 'Chutist



Wife of an English coastal defense officer, Mrs. Daisy Cardwell captured a German parachutist who landed near her house. "I put on my fiercest frown," she says, "pointed to his gun and demanded She got it and the invader is now in a prison camp.

Roosevelt Says Chances 100 To 1 Against Troops Going To Foreign Shores

WASHINGTON, (IP) - Chairman Morris Sheppard of the military viewed by Chinese as furthering the affairs committee, opening senate debate on the conscription bill tomeasure is necessary to meet the threat of "certain dictator-controlled nations.

Urging speedy passage of the mea sure, Sheppard said that the world's totalitarian countries "evidently do not propose to end until all democracies and freedom shall be blasted from the earth."

As reported by Sheppart's committee three days ago, would require 12,000,000 men between the ages of 21 and 31 to register for army service. About 4,500,000 actually would be called up for a year's compulsory training.

Sheppard expressed pleasure a the senate's action yesterday in approving, 71 to 7, a bill authorizing President Roosevelt to mobilize 360,000 members of the National Guard and organized reserves for a year's service with the regular army

100 TO 1 HYDE PARK, N. Y., (IP)-President Roosevelt gave his assurances today that the chances are 100 to 1 against American regular troops or of the continental United States or

PEACE DISTURBANCE CHARGED TO ANGELO LERA BY DANTA BACOCCINI

Angelo Lera, of Upper Placer ville, is at liberty on bail of \$250 following his arrest on a charge of disturbing the peace on the complaint of Dante Bacoccini.

The complaint is based on an altercation between the two men evening, reported Wednesday arising over their respective rights to a ditch near their homes in Upper Placerville.

Lera is claimed to hove been the aggressor, and to have scratched Bacoccini and to have bitten one of Bacoccini's fingers. The defendant also shows the "scars of battle" said to be the result of the complainant's retaliation with his

The complaint was filed in the justice court.

YOUNG MAN HELD FOR INVESTIGATION IN EL DORADO FIRES

Douglas Price, 23, was held at the county jail Friday for questioning in connection with a series of small

The fires were investigated my State Fire Warden Willard Austin, who took Price into custody for

Forest Officials Visit **Local Headquarters**

Among those who called Thursday at the headquarters of Eldorado National Forest were H. I. Loving, chief fiscal agent of the United States Forest Service, at

LEGION OPENS

PLACERVILLE, EL DORADO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, FRIDAY. AUGUST 9. 1946

San Diego Welcomes 25,000 Veterans In Enthusiastic Style

Mrs. Jessie Watts, president of the local Auxiliary, and Otto Perschke, of El Dorado Post, No. 119, will represent local American Legion units at the state convention.

SAN DIEGO, (LP) roared in mass formation over San Diego today and the flag-decked downtown district hummed with excitement as the vanguard of more than 25,000 Legionnaires and affiliated veteran groups arrived for the 22nd annual American Legion convention.

"Welcome" signs fluttered from nearly every downtown building, and hotel managers prepared for packed houses during the five-day con-clave which will officially open on Sunday night with a religious and military ceremony in Balboa Park.

But, for some, the convention has already started. Last night and today many early arrivals registered at convention headquarters, according to Harry Foster, general convention chairman.

Foster predicted that the convention would be the largest ever staged by the department of California He believed that, with families and guests included, more than 40,000 eople would come to San Diego for the five-day convention.

Military authorities here called mass flights of war planes over the city today and yesterday "dress rehearsals" in preparation for "air raid" on Balboa Stadium Monday night and a spectacular aerial review over the marine base on Tuesday afternoon.

Two hundred planes of all types including small fighter craft from the carriers Lexington and Saratoga, land combat planes and huge patrol bombers will take part in the eview A simulated air raid on Balboa

Stadium will bring together in planes from the second marine aircraft group and a crack second de-fense battalion of the marines. | profits made on government arms orders. | To | cases, the explained, orders. | cases, the explained orders. |

The attacking squadrons will dive at the darkened stadium where the defense battalion will be stationed National Guardsmen ever being assigned to active service outside of 3-inch anti-aircraft guns to fight them off.

Rescue Pioneer Native Passes

Mrs. Wilhelmina Thomsen To Be Laid At Rest On Sunday Afternoon

Thomsen, 82, a native of the Res- Sons of the Golden West, is grandcue district and a resident there father of a native daughter.
continuously until about five years Mr. Clark is the son of M ago, when she moved to Smith Flat, Mrs. W. J. Clark, of Missouri Flat died early Friday morning at a Placerville hospital.

Sunday at 2:30 o'clock from Memory Chapel, Rev. Rex Barron officiat ing. Burial will be at the family plot at Jayhawk cemetery.

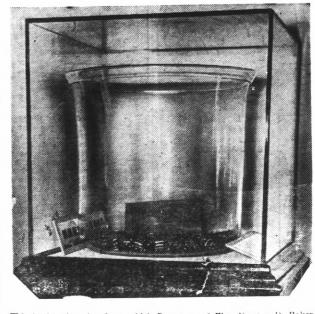
Mrs. Thomsen had been a hospital patient since about July 6 when she suffered a fall at her residence ON SATURDAY

ago. Mr. Thomsen was engaged in mining in the Rescue section. She is survived by her son, Herbert, with whom she had made her home in recent years, and by several grand-

Mrs. Emily Erickson is now in charge of the alteration department at the May-Den Dress Shop, She was formerly with I. Magnins Hollywood and Palm Springs. Her previous friendship with Mrs. Byers, IS GRANDMOTHER FOR owner of the Placerville Store, induced her to settle here. She with her husband, Edward Erickson, are making their home on Pacific street

B. H. Rutledge, state fruit inspec tor, has opened offices in a portion of the front part of Bert Frey's Washington, D. C., and Regional Garage. The office manager and Fiscal Agent E. V. Lackey, of San secretary is Mrs. Florence Howe, of Mrs. Charles Swift, of Fresno, and Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Zwisler are Francisco. They were accompanied Stockton. Plans are to keep the ofhere from Pleasanton for a visit by the forest fiscal agent for Alasfice here until the latter part of
Her daddy is an engineer for the October, it was said.

Draft Jar May Be Used Again



This is the glass jar from which Secretary of War Newton D. Baker drew the names of men to be drafted in 1917. Shown on dispersional Independence Hall, Philadelphia, it may be used again under the first

EXCESS PROFITS TAX URGED TREASURY SECRETARY

Morgenthau, Forecasting Record Peace-Time Deficit Of Nearly Six Billion Dollars, Cites Effect On National Defense Contracts

WASHINGTON. (IP)—Secretary of | \$12,000,000.000. the Treasury Henry Morgenthau. "Accordingly, it is desirable," he Jr., today forecast a record peace-time deficit of approximately \$5.- changes in the period of amortiza-

before the house ways and means additional revenue without restrictcommittee in a general hearing on excess profits taxation. Less than sary for defense." mock battle 18 attacking fighter are several bills pending in con- ment business. gress for drastic taxation of excess

"Accordingly, it is desirable," he 700,000,000 and urged congress to tion on war facilities, and for the increase government revenue by ensuspension of the present profit acting immediately an excess profits tax. limitation on certain army and navy contracts, but also to enact an ex-Morgenthau was the first witness cess profits tax that will provide

two months ago congress enacted a special tax bill incerasing hundreds clarification of amortization policy of nuisance, income, inheritance, was necessary, since a "barrier of chased must be U. S. Combination and other levies to finance the gigantic rearmament program. There minds of contractors doing govern- larger, and must be packed in stand-

penditures probably would exceed remedial legislation.

NATIVE SONS' LEADER IS GRANDFATHER TO NATIVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark are the parents of a daughter, born Thursday evening at Placerville Sana-

Mrs. Wilhelmina Uhlenkamp Grand President Lyon, of the Native

Mr. Clark is the son of Mr. and who, with Mr. and Mrs. Lyon have, by the arrival of the little lady, been Better On Friday The funeral services will be held inducted into the rank of grand-

NEGRO HILL RESIDENT TO BE LAID AT REST

Born in the Rescue district December 15, 1856, Mrs. Thomsen was the wife of the late Hans Thomsen, who passed away a number of war ago. Mr. The funeral services for William M. Brook, 64, will be held Saturday at one o'clock at Folsom from the Miller mortuary chapel. Intermediately ago. Mr. The funeral services for William M. Brook, 64, will be held Saturday at one o'clock at Folsom from the Miller mortuary chapel. Intermediately ago. Mr. The funeral services for William M. Brook, 64, will be held Saturday at one o'clock at Folsom from the Miller mortuary chapel.

Mr. Brook was a native of San Jose, unmarried, and for the past eighteen years had been a resident of the Negro Hill section in the western part of the county, engaging in farming.

H passed away at his residence early Wednesday. A brother, Alfred Brook, survives him.

MRS. JOSEPHINE SWIFT **ELEVENTH TIME**

Mrs. Josephine Swift, of Latrobe was a county seat caller Friday morning and reports that she is a grandmother for the eleventh time Her newest grandchild is Lucetta Ione Swift, daughter of Mr. and Her daddy is an engineer for the

telephone company at Fresno.

"In some cases." he explained, 48 pounds, price \$1.00 per box.

orders.

Estimating receipts for the curremove this hesitancy, it has been agencies for distribution to famtent fiscal year at \$6,367,000,000, the my opinion that immediate steps liles receiving public aid and for use secretary predicted that total ex-should be taken to obtain adequate on free lunch programs for under-

"Fashion Clinic" Held At Oakland Thursday

Mrs. Matie Barker, Placerville manager for Montgomery Ward, was at Oakland on Thursday to unite with other store and office mana gers of the company from the cen-Mrs. Clark is the former Betty tral part of the state in attending Lyon, daughter of District Attorney a "Fashion Clinic," which was an and Mrs. Henry S. Lyon, and so advance showing of styles for the coming season, presented directly from New York. The meeting was held at Hotel Leamington

Jack Rupley Reported

The condition of Jack Rupley, who was removed Wednesday to a Sacramento hospital following a heart attack, was reported as no ticeably improved on Friday.

It was indicated, however, that with continuing improvement the young man may not hope to leave the hospital for several days.

Placerville Men Travel Northward By Air

Dr. D. W. Babcock and Attorney Richard Barry left early Friday in the doctor's monoplane for Camp Lewis, Washington, the doctor re porting there for a two-week tour of duty in the Army Medical Corps, in which he is a reserve officer. Attorney Barry will visit with friends in the northwest and return to Placerville the first of the week

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaepp vere recent dinner hosts at Strawberry Resort, honoring Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Risser. Others who shared the evening included Mrs. M. P. Bennett, Mrs. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. Max Baer and daughter, Miss Helen Baer; Miss Penelope Risser, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herbert, Miss Patricia Herbert, and Mrs. Phreanor and Miss Sue Phreanor.

Walter I. Bidstrup was a caller on Friday from El Dorado.

AIR DEFENSE

WEATHER

Fair tonight, Sat.; little change

War Secretary Reveals Amortization Problems Restrict Plane Building

WASHINGTON (IP)-Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson told congress today that the war department has been able to sign contracts for only 33 out of more than 4,000 planes provided for in the multi-billion-dollar defense program.

Stimson said the chief stumbling block was the lack of a satisfactory amortization program, whereby the plane manufacturers would receive tax concessions for plant expansion

His disclosure of the 33-plane order jolted members of the joint congressional tax committee which had invited him to testify on the pending excess profits tax bill which contains provisions for amortiza-

Stimson said amortization plans were vitally important to expansion of airplane production, and launched into a discussion of President Roosevelt's recommendations for increasing America's air strength.

U.S. Will Pay \$1 For Barts

Marketing Administration Authorized To Purchase For Welfare Agencies

SAN FRANCISCO-The Surplus Marketing Administration has been authorized to purchase Bartlett pears from growers or grower associations, the United States Department of Agriculture announced to-

day According to Merritt A. Clevenger, regional supervising purchasing agent of the SMA, all pears purard western pear boxes net weight

All of the pears bought by SMA

nourished children. Chester Gibbons, SMA official, has been designated by Mr. Clevenger as local purchasing agent with headquarters at 1006 14th St., Sacra-

Supervisors Visit At Lake Tahoe Friday

Members of the Board of Supervisors, Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, District Attorney Henry Lyon and Sheriff George M. Smith were

at Lake Valley on Friday. The supervisors and county offimatters relating to county affairs and were to meet with Supervisor Smith on matters in which the county and the Forest Service have mutual interests

Clifton And Warren Named Oil Agents

The firm of Clifton and Warren, in Placerville, has been named distributor for Placerville and vicinity by the Standard Oil Company of California for Standard burner oils.

The firm is equipped with a tank truck to make deliveries of oil for furnace, kitchen or circulating heater use and invite a trial by those whose heating arrangements make provision for the use of oil as fuel.

COMMUNIST PROBE YIELDS SEVERAL SECRET INDICTMENTS

LOS ANGELES (IP)-Deputies today were taking into custody several persons charged with murder in secret indictments returned by the grand jury midway through its investigation of asserted communist infiltration in Pacific coast indus tries.

It was understood the indictments charged six persons, including Brittain Webster, longshoreman, with the five-year-old, allegedly communist-plotted murder of Seaman John Riley. Webster's name was the only one made public.

raw spinach % cup cabbage, grated fine or shredded

shredded
Soften gelatine in cold water. Add sait, hot water. Stir until thoroughly dissolved. Add vinegar, lemon juice and onion juice (extracted by grating onion). Cool and when mixture begins to thicken, fold in remaining ingredients. Turn into one large or individual molds which have been rinsed out in cold water first, and chill. When firm, unmold onto lettuce. Platter may be garnished with bundles of raw carrot straws tied with strips of green pepper.

Grapefruit and Cucumber Salad

(Serves 6-40 calories per serving)

1 envelope plain unflavored gelatine 1 cup hot water 1 tablespoon sugar 1 cup fresh grapefruit, cut in cubes

small can broken grapefruit

1 small can broken grapefruit
½ teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 cup diced cucumber
Bring sugar and water to a boil.
Drain grapefruit. Soften gelatine in
one-half cup grapefruit juice (if not
enough juice, add water to make difference). Add to hot syrup and stir
until dissolved. Add salt and lemonjuice. Cool and when mixture begins
to thicken, fold in grapefruit and cucumber Pour into one large or six
individual molds which have been
rinsed out in cold water first, and
chill. When firm, unmold onto lettuce
and serve with desired dressing. A
drop or two of green vegetable coloring may be added if desired.

Hawaiian Delight

(Serves 6-65 calories per serving)

KROY - Dick Jurgens; 10:30,

KSFO — News Broadcast; 10:15.

KPO — News; 10:15 Concert Hall;

KGO-Baseball; 10:30 Joe Sudy

10:20 Roller Derby; 10:30 Harry

KFRC—Hollywood Fight; 10:45,

11 p. m. to midnight
KFBK—Gary Nottingham; 11:30
Jackie Suder; 11:45 News.

KROY - Dance Orchestra: 11:30.

KSFO-Orchestra: 11:30 See KROY

Manny Strand; 11:55 News

Rudolf Friml, Jr.

Jan Garber.

Orchestra.

Owens.

Music.

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IF A LIVE RABBIT IS KEPT IN THE BEE TOM MOSQUITOES . WILL :: OF BITE A HUMAN



AIR SERVICE INSIGNIA OF SOVIET RUSSIA

i take it you are the Reverend Myer"
"I don't know you, sir! I daye

"Ah. the police? That is dif-ferent What is it you want. sir?
"I want to know a good many-things." Egypt replied "Firs-where is your church?"

The Reverend Myer plinked

The Reverend Myer blinked

"Er—ah—the fact is I have no church at the present time." he confessed "In a manner of speak-

ing, you might call me a minister without portfolio"

Egypt asked, with false plandness "Where was your last

The Reverend Myer drew a

WILLINGLY " said Egypt

listening attitude as he had stood at the bottom of the stairs

(To be continued)
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(The characters in this story

Shanshai Loot

By T. T. FLYNN

The S.S. City of Shanghai docks at San Francisco carrying costly jewels. the property of docks at San Francisco carrying costly jewels. the property of China. in the custody of the Mandarin Lee Wong for sale to raise funds for the nation. Apex Surety Company. which insures them makes Egypt Carse. star investigator. responsible for them At a hotel dinner given by few Wong the issues are stalen. "I don't know you, sir! I aave not asked you in here! Get out before I telephone the police!"
"Call headquarters." Egypt invited agreeably "But you might as well save yourself the trouble The police are with you my friend." He smiled again.
Reverend Myer choked off ar. indignant remark, and quieted in fact he grew almost cordinate. them At a botel dinner given by Lee Wong, the jewels are stolen, and Lee Wong killed. Carse, on investigating, discovers that a woman is involved. He also sus-pects Wong's secretary. Charles Wu, who has disappeared, and; man named Brown. He finds that Brown has made a number of telephone calls to a Reverend Horatic Myer on Russian Hill Horatio Myer on Russian Hill.
and goes to that neighborhood
with a police detective named
Scott. He runs into Wu on the
street and questions him. Then,
suddenly, he is caught off guard.

CHAPTER IX

WU'S fist struck the side of Egypt's head. The night blazed in confusion before Egypt's eyes, and then went dark

He was not aware that WU'S fist struck the side of

He was not aware that Charles Wu had caught him as he fell, dragged him to the nearest steps, and carefully sat him down there. Then Wu ran from the spot.

The first thing Egypt knew was that a hand was shaking his shoulder. He heard a voice swearing in an undertone. Opening his eyes, he made out a dark figure before him.

"What hereacetts" Seatt was "Will.LINGLY" said Egypt "Where's the could stop it "Who?" he asked hastily "Wu. Lee Wong's secretary." I know of no one by that mame, air."

"All right," Egypt agree of "Where's the chap from the Continental Hotel who called himself Brown?" Charles Wu had caught him

"I don't know what you're taik-

"What happened?" Scott was demanding anxiously.

Egypt felt the side of his head, winced as his fingers touched a swollen tender spot there.

"It may tak refresh your meresh you

winced as his fingers touched a swollen tender spot there.

"I lost my man." Egypt said, getting to his feet unsteadily "How long have I been here?"

"I waited in the car five or ten minutes. When you didn't come back, I walked after you," Scott said. "I almost passed this spot before I saw you hunched on the steps."

"A birdie in the bush." Egypt a list first we'll have a look around the house."

"You can't walk into a man's would the steps."

"You can't walk into a man's would the severend Myer an spilly. "Who sent you here any way?"

"A birdie in the bush." Egypt

way?"
"The chap who knocked me out was the Chinese secretary to the mandarin, Lee Wong. There may still be time to get him. Come on."

"GYPT'S head cleared as they way?"

"A birdle in the bush." Egypt told him gravely. "Turn afound. Right through the door there wanted we'll akke the lower floor first."

The Reverend Myer's belligerence suddenly faded. With a shrug, he obeyed.

"You'll find nothing here." he

EGYPT'S head cleared as they hurrled from the spot and turned into one of the small streets huddling near the top of Russian Hill. His pencil flashwarned.
They progressed through the large, high-ceilinged rooms. but there was no sign of Wu, or of his As THEY returned to the front of the house, Egypt remem-bered the Reverend Myer's queer

Russian Hill. His pencil flash-light searched the house numbers. There it was—a dingily respectable brick house, three stories high, its windows heavily curtained. There was a small brass name plate on the door: The Rev. Horatio L. Myer.

Not a sound came from inside But next door, a hilarious party of some sort was in progress. Muted music laughter, voices seeped out into the night.

"Got your gun?" Egypt asked under his breath.

"Zes," said Scott.

stood at the bottom of the stairs apparently listening for something upstairs. They entered the hall at that moment, and Egypt stopped short.

A young woman who had been stealing down the stairs made a dash for the door. Egypt caught her arm and pulled her back.

"What's the matter?" he demanded.

"Yes," said Scott.

"Slip around to the back of the house. Collar anyone who tries to get out."

"Right." Scott agreed briefly. He passed out of sight.

Egypt walked quietly to the front door tried the knob without knocking. The door opened siently let him into a dimiy lit hall. So quickly and silently did he move that he surprised the lone figure of a man standing at the foot of a flight of stairs.

The stranger wheeled quickly as Egypt closed the door. He backed away a step. one hand fumbling uncertainly at the top button of the black clerical coat he was wearing. He was short. dumpy and partly bald.

Egypt instantly disliked this.

The girl gave a startled gasp. The girl

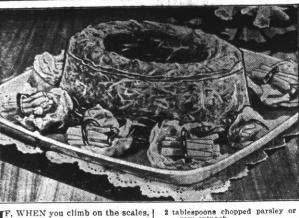
the upper regions of the house!

The girl gave a startled gasp.
Her eyes went wide. And the Reverend Horatio Myer did a curious thing. His hand streaked under Egypt instantly disliked this gentleman of the cloth. There was about the man a sleek, oily

VHO the devil are you?" the minister spluttered.

ypt grinned. "The name," be
politely. "is Carse. The purof this little visit is curiosity.

A Slenderizing Salad



F. WHEN you climb on the scales, the little dial tells you that you have a slight credit in the way of pounds rather than a debit, it is time to start watching what you eat. This doesn't mean you have to starve yourself. In fact, that is just the thing to be avoided for your system needs an adequate amount of proper food to keep the machinery going. Instead, eat foods that keep the calorie count down and yet satisfy appetite and energy demonds. Twelve to fifteen hundemands. Twelve to fifteen hundred calories is the count for the verage woman's daily reducing

How to keep within that calorie budget? Fruits, vegetables and lean budget: Fruits, vegetaines and teamsers.
Jellied salads are another helpful item. When they are made with plain unflavored gelatine, which has almost no calorie count in it. of varying foods that often would become monotonous by themselves from repetition. Too, plain gelatine extends small quantities of foods, giving more to eat and helping to fill up some of those empty crevices

nil up some or those empty crevices in the appetite.

Desserts are often thought to be on the forbidden list but that isn't true. The system needs a certain amount of carbohydrate to carry on its work and so some desserts should be included in a low calorie diet. Here, plain gelatine again comes to the aid of the dieter for there are a wide variety of desserts made with it that are low in calories but delicious to eat.

Complexion Salad Complexion Salad
(Serves 6—18 calories per serving)

1 envelope plain unflavored gelatine
(cup cold water
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup hot water
2 tablespoons mild vinegar
1 tablespoons lemon julce
2 teaspoons onlon julce
3 cup carrota, grated fine or
shredded

NEWS PERSONALS

Friday for a weekend deer hunt at Clara University and, preparatory to Uhiah. They will be joined there his withdrawal from the staff of the by Clarence Sackett, who is now Placerville Hardware Company, Arstationed at the place with the thur Goltz is getting ready to suc-State Division of Highways.

Eldorado Forest, left Friday morn- sister.

National Forest, at Nevada City.

Joseph McKee is making plans to Steve Erm and Billie Butts left enroll for the fall quarter at Santa ceed him in the store.

(Serves 6—65 calories per serving) 1 envelope plain unflavored gelatine 4/2 cup cold water 2 tablespoons sugar 2 tablespoons lemon juice 4/2 cup crushed pineapple (canned) 1 egg white 3/4 teaspoon salt Soften gelatine in cold water. Add sugar and hot water and stir until dissolved. Add lemon juice, pineapple and salt. Cool and when mixture be gins to thicken, beat until light and frothy with a rotary beater. Fold in stiffly beaten egg white and beat until thick. Pile into sherbet glasses and garnish with a cherry. ing for the headquarters of Tahoe

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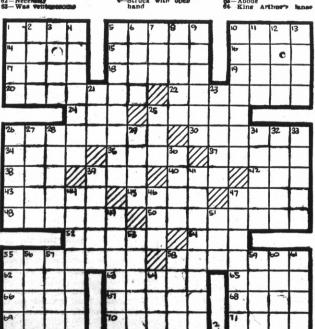
Crossword Puzzle By LARS MORRIS



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5 to 6 p. m. KFBK—Waltz Time Program; 5:30 George Breece; 5:45 Harry Ko-

KROY—Ross and Organ; 5:30 News 5:45 Varieties. KSFO — Clark Ross Program; 5:30 KFRC—News; 9:15 Leon Mojica;

Grand Central Station. KPO—See KFBK; 5:30 What's My Name.

KGO—Charles Dants; 5:30 Methodist Conference; 5:45 Music by Kogen. KFRC-Sports Guide: 5:15 An-

nounced; 5:30 Shafter Parker; 5:45 Cheer Up Gang. 6 to 7 p. m. KFBK—T. R. Yarrba; 6:15 Vaughn Munroe Orchestra; 6:30 Dinah Shore: 6:45 Condido Batelho.

KROY-Public Affairs; 6:30, Al Pearce. KSFO - Public Affairs; 6:30 Al

KPO-Don Ameche Show; 6:30, Quiz Kids

KGO-Philharmonic Forum; 6:15. Conference; 6:30 Dinah Shore; 6:45 Condido Batelho. KFRC—Raymond G. Swing; 6:15,

Economy Bloc; 6:30 J. B. Hughes: 6:45 Grant Park Concert.

KROY - Fisherman; 7:15, The

Continental Orchestra Music; 7:30 Orchestra Music. KSFO—Amos and Andy; 7:15,

Lanni Ross; 7:30 Johnnp Presents. KPO - Pleasure Time Program; 7:15 Yours for Success; 7:30, Show Boat.

KGO-Johnny Mesner; 7:30 Ernie Smith; 7:45 Baseball, S. F. Seals vs eSattle. CFRC—Paging the Past; 7:15 Orch.

Music; 7:30 Lone Ranger. **8 to 9 p. m.** KFBK—News; 8:05 announced; 8:30 Baseball game Sacramento Solons

vs. Oakland. KROY—Henry Busse; 8:25 Hit Tunes; 8:55 Beauty Explorer. KSFO—News Quiz; 8:30 Ina Ray Hutton Orchestra Program; 8:55

Beauty Explorer. KPO—Treasure Island Varieties 8:30 Death Valley Days.

KGO-Al Brown; 8:30

Don't Skip All Roasts In Summer

By BETSY NEWMAN

MEN LIKE meat, whether the weather be hot or cold. Hot roast beef, even on a sizzling day, is a treat, and especially so when you serve deviled mushrooms with it. You may use fresh mushrooms in place of canned if you wish.

Today's Menu Roast Beef
Potatoes Roasted with Meat
Deviled Mushrooms
Mixed Vegetable Salad Apricot Pie

Deviled Mushrooms 18-oz. can sliced 1 tbsp. Worcestershire Sauce

mushrooms or its equivalent in fresh mushrooms then butter 1 tsp. prepared mushrooms mustard 2 tbsp. butter 1 tbsp. vinegar 1/2 tsp. sugar Brown mushrooms in butter, add liquid from can if you use

Norcestershire sauce, and ingredients, simmer until liquor is almost absorbed, and serve hot with the roast. If you use fresh mushrooms, add ½ cup water to mushrooms after they are browned and before seasonings are added.

Fresh Apricot Pie

Pie crust 1 tbsp. granu-Fresh apricots 1 tbsp. butter lated tapioca Line pie pan with unbaked crust and fill with apricots, washed and pitted but not peeled. Add sugar mixed with tapioca and the butter. Add top crust and bake in 425° F. oven until juice bubbles up through the top and the crust is brown.

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S. F. Seals. CFRC-Honeymoon Cottage Contest; 8:30 Dance Orchestra.

9 to 10 p. m. KFBK—Baseball, Sacramento lons vs Oakland. KROY—Talent Quest; 9:30 Henry King; 9:45 Chuch Foster; 9:55,

News KSFO-News; 9:15 Henry King; 9:45 News. KPO—Richard Himber; 9:15 Trop-

ical Moods; 9:30 University Explorer. KGO—Baseball.

9:30 Fulton Lewis, Jr.; 9:45 The Hollywood Fights. 10 to 11 p. m

KFBK-Baseball; 10:15 News; 10:30

Program; 11:55 News. KPO-See KFBK; 11:30 Jackie Souder.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE First Church of Christ, Scientist lacerville, Bedford Avenue at

Placerville, Bedford Avenue at Union Street. Services, 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Wednesday evening. Testimonial Meeting 8 p.m. The reading room at the church building is open Tuesday and Fri-day from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock

"Spirit" will be the subject of the

Lesson-Sermon Sunday, August 11, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scient-7 to 8 p. m.

KFBK—Pleasure Time Program;
7:15 Elliott Roosevelt; 7:30,
Showboat.

KROY — Fisherman: 7:15, The

Into the land or unrightness. (Ps. 143: 10). Other Bible citations will include: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. . . . All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made" (John 1: 1, 14).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook. "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Spirit, God, has created all in and of Himself. Spirit never created matter. There is nothing in Spirit out of which matter could be made, for, as the Bible declares.

maintaining the church. "Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it unto the day of Jesus Christ." "Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure having this seal, The Lord knowth them that are his."

2 p. m. church service, Camino. 6:30 p. m. high school society. 7:30 p. m. evening worship and made, for, as the Bible declares, without the Logas, the AEon or Word of God, 'was not anything made that was made'" (p. 335).

CATHOLIC CHURCH

During August and September masses will be conducted each Sunday morning at seven o'clock and at nine o'clock at St. Patrick's church, in Placerville, and every Sunday at nine o'clock at St. James church in Georgetown.

DIAMOND SPRINGS CHURCH Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Sunday school 9:40 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon subject: The Inheritance of God. Y. P. meeting and missionary prayer meeting 7 p. m. Sermon subject: Are all great men infidels?

Tuesday 2 p. m. junior C. E. Wednesday 8 p. m. prayer and praise.
Thursday 8 p. m. church business

meeting.
Friday 7 p. m. choir practice.
There is a friendly welcome in this church.

FEDERATED CHURCH H. G. Morehouse

Sunday, August 4, 1940. 9:45 a. m. Sunday school, Placer-

maintaining the church. "Being con-

2 p. m. church service, Camino. 6:30 p. m. high school society. 7:30 p. m. evening worship and long service.

Theme: God's care for his people shown in the Twenty-third Psalm

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR (EPISCOPAL) Rev. Rex A. Barron

Sunday, August 11th. Sunday school 10 a.m. Morning prayer 11 a. m. Sermon subject — "What has Christianity to offer today?" Young people's fellowship, 8 p. m.

The Works and the Word of God

HIGHLIGHTS ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL (The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for Aug. 11 is Psalm 19, the Golden Text being Psalm 19:14, "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Thy sight, O Jehovah, my rock, and my Redeemer.)

THE PSALMS are said to be the Jewish hymnbook—an anthology of sacred poetry, dating back over a thousand years. David probably wrote them early in life, says an authority, possi-bly 1050 B.C. The 19th psalm, which is the subject of today's lesson, cannot be identified with any particular location.

The 19th psalm is one of the most beautiful in the Old Testament, and I would recommend that it be learned by heart, if possible. It will comfort, encour-

age and help you all your life.
The first part is a revelation
of God's greatness in his works: "The heavens declare the glory of God; And the firmament show-

eth His handiwork." No one who has stood under the clear night sky, with millions of stars shining overhead and perhaps the moon rising to dim the stars, but has felt awed at the might and majesty of the spectacle and marveled at and worshiped the Creator of such wonders. The more we study the earth's structure and the working of the universe, the more do we wonder at its scope and func-tioning. As the psalmist says:

"Day unto day uttereth speech, And night unto night showeth knowledge. There is no speech nor language. Where their voice is not heard.

Their line is gone out through all the earth, And their words to the end of the world.

In them hath He set a taber-nacle for the sun.

Which is as a bridegroom coming out of his chamber. And rejoiceth as a strong man to run a race. His going forth is from the end

of the heaven, And his circuit unto the ends

of it; And there is nothing hid from the heat thereof. Reveals Glories of Creator

The message of the universe continues to tell us of the glories of its Maker. Night and day pro-claim it. No difference of language or customs of earth's people can conceal this wonder. It is gone out through all the earth." We feel the beauty, the grandeur and mystery of it in bring us.

the Arctic or Antarctic, in the tropical heat and amazing verdure of Africa, in the abundance and beauty of the temperate zone, in the semi-tropical countries which would seem like heaven if it were not for the cruelty and sinfulness of what we call the greatest of God's creation — man. Nothing "is hid from the heat thereof."

The second part of the psalm tropical heat and amazing ver-

The second part of the psalm turns to God's written word. His laws, which, if man followed them, would truly make this earth a paradise.

"The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul:
The testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple.
The statutes of the Lord are

right, rejoicing the heart: The commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the The fear of the Lord is clean,

enduring forever:
The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altoand righteous gether. to be desired are they More than gold, yea, than much

fine gold; Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb. une honeycomb.

Moreover by them is Thy servant warned;
In keeping of them there is great reward."

If we could only live by those laws, being strong to withstand temptations. our lives would be so happy. The reward would in-deed, be more desirable than deed, be more desirable than gold—this world's riches—sweeter also than the sweetest and purest of honey. In keeping the Lord's laws His servant is great-ly rewarded.

Then the psalmist prays to be kept from faults and sins that even he may not recognize; for 'Who can discern his errors? Clear Thou me from hidden

faults. Keep back Thy servant also-from presumptuous sins; Let them not have dominions over me:"

over me:

If this can only be accomplished, then "shall I be clear from great transgression."

And finally the psalmist prays that he may find favor in the Lord's sight. In beautiful language he hads:

guage he begs: "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my

O Jehovah, my rock, and my Redeemer."

Let us make these words our constant prayer and we need have no fear of what life may

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heart
Be acceptable in Thy sight,

Britain Quits China Areas

(Continued from page one) struction of 49 craft on Thursday and asserted they lost only 10. The Nazi high command also claimed 28 British ships were sunk or badly damaged by yesterday's air and tor pedo boat attacks.

The Germans also reported new raids on British land objectives, including aircraft factories near Liverpool and the Bristol harbor area, but admitted that Birtish planes still were hammering at similar objectives in the Reich.

In the war in Africa, the British and Italians both claimed aerial victories along the Libyan-Egyptian frontier. The Brtish said they had shot down 15 Italian airplanes and the Italians reported they had destroyed five British craft. Each side disputed the other's claims.

Mrs. Josephine Swift, Mrs. R. L. Dodson, Mrs. Marietta Mitchell and Miss Annie Fredericks were in town Friday morning from the Latrobe





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WITH AN APPLE FOR THE TEACHER, Pinocchio starts off joy for his first day at school, unaware of the dangers that lurk along the way for the puppet who has been magically made to walk without strings and to talk. His stirring adventures are set forth in "Pinocchio." Walt Disney's brand new full-length feature in multiplane technicolor at the Empire Theatre today and Saturday.

"PINOCCHIO." SECOND DISNEY FULL-LENGTH CARTOON FEATURE, SHOWING AT EMPIRE THEATER ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

brings to the screen a strange the Empire.

Humans, animals who might as well of the picture as a white dove be human, and a live puppet with- The Fox and the Cat, the most

has named Pinocchio, has been viv- neat jams. ified by the Blue Fairy in answer to

The Blue Fairy herself is a char array of new characters for "Pin- acter only to be believed when seen occhio," the second full-length Dis- in the medium of animation, for she ney production in Technicolor, materializes from the wishing star showing Friday and Saturday at in a dazzling flood of golden light, and then winds up in another part

be human, and a live puppet without strings rub elbows in an exciting seires of adventures.

The Fox and the Cat, the most amusing of five "villains" in the seires of adventures.

Generate an old toy maker is appear, which make the fact that Geppetto, an old toy maker, is ance, which makes the fact that they deport themselves and talk as might know. He is no end startled when he finds that the puppet he shabby elegance, they posture above has created has come to life overther countryside and manage to insult of the puppet when the countryside and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the puppet when the puppet when the fact that the fact that they deport themselves and talk as seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even to take it very seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the country side and manage to insult of the puppet when the fact that talk as seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the country side and manage to insult of the very themselves and talk as seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the country side and manage to insult of the very themselves and talk as seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriously and she used to say, speak-well as even the seriousl night. The puppet, whom Geppetto volve poor Pinocchio in a couple of

Geppetto's wish that he might have ney characters. Figaro is a round a fluttery female goldfish. Although and characters interesting from the neither talks, both Figaro and Cleo truth of the description and the senare capable of human reasoning, and show it clearly in their actions.

Monstro, the whale, is easily the

biggest actor ever to appear on a bewail their poverty but keep horses screen. After all, when you reach and servants to guarantee their ing on Monstro's part that leads caste, were the people about whom building, you're not to be sneezed at. Jane Austen wrote. The nearest And incidentally, it's some sneezing on Monstro'5s part that leads up to the exciting climax of the

Jiminy Cricket, who is at the opposite end of the pole for size, is another character who definitely demmated picture, for little Mr. Cricket, no bigger than a thumb-nail, wears they don't bore you. Indeed, they no bigger than a thumb-nail, wears clothes, talks, sings and dances. As a matter of fact, the Blue Fairy appoints Jiminy as Pinocchio's consciplosits Jiminy as Pinocchio's consciplosits of many of the present-level of the property of the present-level ence, with the result that Jiminy is led on a merry chase, which includes the floor of the ocean.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF MEETING
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OF EQUALIZATION OF EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:
That the Board of Directors of El
Dorado Irrigation District will meet program of irrigation District will meet and sit as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments of El Dorado Irrigation District, on Wednesday, the 28th day of August, 1940, at the hour of the purpose of equalizing the assessments of El Dorado Irrigation District, on Wednesday, the 28th day of August, 1940, at the hour of the selection of the selectio ol August, 1940, at the hold of 10 o'clock A. M. Said Board will meet at said time, at the office of said El Dorado Irrigation District, on Main Street, in the City of Placerville, State of California, and will continue in session from time to time, as long as may be neces-sary, but not to exceed ten (10) days, exclusive of Sundays, to hear the valuation, acreage or any other matters pertaining to the assess-ments, as may come before said

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Primary Election Aug. 27, 1940

Thomas Maul

Candidate for Democratic and Republican Nominations for State Senator, 9th District



By JANE VOILES

We hope you will see the picture "Pride and Prejudice," when it comes to town, and after you have seen the picture that you will read the book.

You can buy a copy for 95 cents or, if your tastes run to first editions, you can buy one for \$175. One of the best recent edtions is the Vox which sells at \$2.00 a copy

The modern novel is as perishable as frost in the sun but Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice" has withstood the vagaries of literary fashions well over a hundred years. Just at present Jane Austen's novels seem more modern than those of Dickens or Thackeray, though Miss Austen wrote before they did. The novels—"Pride and Prejudice, "Emma," "Sense and Sensibility, Northanger Abbey," and "Persuasion," are the best kind of books in which to lose yourself. They make ideal hammock reading and perfect bedside reading.

Now that such a fine job has been done of filming "Pride and Prejudice," it is to be hoped that "Emma perfectly and Lawrence Olivier son who plays Elizabeth Bennett with so much charm would do EmOur life-long frend, Mrs. Josema perfectly and Lawrence Oliver phine Swift, and Mrs. R. L. Dodwould make a gallant George son and son, Robert, Jr., of near gallant George Knightly. Just who would play the part of the immortal Miss Bates "that great talker upon little matters" we are not competent to say.

Jane Austen who belongs to the eighteenth century wrote at a time when it was not quite the thing for women to meddle in literature. From her pictures, we judge that she was his home and left a bouncing baby knew, that she wrote "for posterity and not for pecuniary emolument." The great Sir Walter Scott man Brothers home. Bud Newman, business trip to Auburn Saturday. neat jams.

Geppetto's pets are typical Disney characters. Figaro is a round mischievous little kitten, and Cleo is mischievous little kitten, and Cleo is mischievous little kitten. timent is denied to me."

> thing we have had to that class in lands for dredging. America are the plantation southerners before the Civil War, —the in our town Saturday evening atpeople of "Gone With the Wind." Politics, class problems, sex prob- sightseeing the town. lems have no place in these novels. Her heroines are wise and discerning girls with inexhaustible funds of good sense but strangely enough, heroines of many of the presentday novels. Jane had a fondness for words "elegance," "decorum," "del-icacy," "well-bred." It is evident icacy," "well-bred." It is evident that girls who read Jane Austen in her time didn't need to go to whoever was the Emily Bates Post of that period for advice.
>
> That canny Scotchman Andrew

There are several biographies and many appreciations of Jane Austen many appreciations of Jane Austen but we learn the most about her in her letters. We have always had a limit weeks, will return to their home in Oakland Wednesday.

Jim Keane, traveling agent for the letters were shown to be always and a limit with the letters. her letters. We have always had a kindred feeling for her because she kindred feeling for her because she the Equitable Life Insurance Comlikes headgear. She writes apropos of a hat she was making: "I shall to home last Thursday to look after t, but not to exceed ten (10) of a hat she was making: "I shall his property interests here. He was exclusive of Sundays, to hear determine such objections to which, you know, my principle hopes accompanied on his trip by his property interests here. He was naking: "I shall his property interests here. He was begin my operations on my hat on which, you know, my principle hopes accompanied on his trip by his property interests here. He was naking: "I shall his property interests here. He was accompanied on his trip by his property interests here. The was naking: "I shall his property interests here. He was naking: "I shall his property of happiness depend." When she was living at that famous watering evening place, Bath, she was delighted to find that her hats were always as smart as any others. Her taste in shoes was modest. Once she bought a pair of pink ones and had misgivings about them.

It was Jane's job to look after the

take care to provide such things as other kinds of fruit, and also a nice please my own appetite." She was garden. please my own appetite." She was fond of good eating and her letters relate her favorite dishes: oxcheek with little dumplings, "souse,"

Herschel's weather table went back BYRON F.MACE cheek with little dumplings, "souse," pea-soup and spare ribs. Although on us during July. We predicted Jane was the daughter of one min-Jane was the daughter of one min-ister and the aunt of another she had no scruples about admitting when the occasion arose that she Last Saturday was the warmest day, would drink French wine and be the mercury standing 102 during above vulgar economy;" moreover, she had a fondness for domestic home-brew and for spruce beer.

the noon and afternoon hours. — August will be a hot month.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simon were nome-brew and for spruce beer.

grows. Make friends of her char- from Oakland (Amador, Alpine and El Dorado Counties)
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Despite official German denials, reports from Berlin persist that plans are under way to form a separate autonomous state of Brittany (shaded), jutting northwestern corner of France. The peninsula was annexed to France under a treaty in 1532.



LOTUS NOTES

were callers in our town Priday afternoon visiting Mrs. Mae Vaughn and other friends. Mrs. Vaughn was Joe's chauffeur for two place and drives the car for her, a nice Buick sedan. Mrs. Swift in-forms us that her son, Charlie, is at Fresno and that the stork called at

season opens Bud intends coming up again. S. C. Muir and wife of Sacramento

Another baby boy for Lotus—Phillip Thomas Allen, born August 2, to the Phil Allens. Land owners and the families of Saturday last Mr. Muir is operat-professional men, the people who ing a small dredge on Sweetwater bewail their poverty but keep horses Mrs. Oscar Fleming, Thelma Fleming and Miss Clara Holden were Lotus visitors Wednesday. It is with deep regret that your shortage of water has closed down for a time and was in our town talking to some of our land owners about taking an option on their correspondent notes the passing of Mrs. Agnes Ailman of Placerville, last week. All those of us here who knew her, held her in high esteem

tending to business matters and

Among those seen on our streets the past week were Mrs. Hallie Hall and son, Richard and her daughter; George Taylor, candidate for senator, who was talking politics senator, who was talking politics

for the Hartford Accident Indemmusson, the company's agent here

That canny Scotchman Andrew
Lang wrote Jane Austen a fan letter in his "Letters to Dead Authors," in which he claims that all her

Kent Weinand, Jr., and not Bill Wynand, as appeared in our last items.

Perley Monroe is on his two weeks vacation. He has been janitor in the state capitol for the past nine years readers and admirers are persons of and is putting in his spare time re-

tain and wife, for the past two

returned back to their home toward

It was Jane's job to look after the housekeeping in her sister, Cassandra's home. Of her ability she says:
"I am a good housekeeper, I always on the ranch, besides a fair crop of the ranch besides a

It is said that King George IV callers at the Reaside home Sun-

day.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilmet stophad a copy of "Pride and Prejudice" in every one of his residences. It is gratifying that the Jane Austen cult the Rice family's home Wednesday evening on their way back

May Be French State BRITISH BOMBER PILOTS CONFESS HEALTHY RESPECT FOR ACCURACY OF GERMAN ANTI-AIRCRAFT BÄTTERIES

By WALLACE CARROLL United Press Staff Corresponder

AN RAF AIRDROME, Somewhere in England, (IP) - "It looks like a dirty night," the squadron commander said. He and his young men climbed into 17 big Vickers Wellington bombers and roared away into the gathering gloom.

hawks" of the Royal Air Force known as "alternative targets." carrying the war to the heart of craft fire. Germany

Night after night they have deanti-aircraft fire to bomb German oil refineries, munitions plants, railroad junctions and airdromes.

A group of American correspondents watched the take-off and return of a flight. It was one more of probably 1,000 such raids.

On this particular flight the quadron had fixed objectives—certain oil dumps in Germany.

Workers fitted large, high explosive and incendiary bombs aboard curate," one pilot said. the planes. Intelligence officers had gathered data regarding the targets. The meteorological section set to work. Then the crews were coached on landmarks.

It was almost dark when the first bomber hopped off, guided only by a flare path-a line of eight to 10 dim lights strung across the field

All the planes were Wellington, mid-wing two-motored monoplanes years or so before coming to Lotus, capable of long range flying with and now Mrs. Dodson has taken her heavy bomb load. Each carried capable of long range flying with a crew of six-a pilot, second pilot navigator, bomb sighter, wireless operator and two gunners.

In the nose and tail are gun tur rets which can be operated hydraulically, enabling the gunner to swing his machine guns in a complete cir-cle within a few seconds despite

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLeod entertained at a card party Wednesday evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones, Mrs. Geo.

Castillo and Mr. and Mrs. Harry

and realize how much her presence will be missed by the many organ-

izations with which she was affil-

Henry Bacchi was down from Pea-vine Monday, spending the greater part of the day in Placerville but

towards evening returning via Lo-tus where he stopped and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Reaside.

iated.

Oviedo, Mrs. Lottie Galleher,

All the planes were piloted by New Zealanders. In about four hours they were back

By radio, the fliers told of bad weather which had prevented them from finding their initial objectives These young men are the "night and which sent them to what is bomber command who have been number encountered heavy anti-air-

One plane reported it had attacked the Ypenburg and Schipol airfied darkness and cold and fierce dromes in Holland and had "observed many large fires after dropping bombs." Another plane attacked a munitions factory in Germany and 'scored a direct hit with incendi-

aries . . . other bombs just missed." Over a 3 a. m. breakfast of bacon and eggs, the pilots said they had "healthy respect" for German

anti-aircraft batteries. "They have lots of guns and searchlights and they are very ac-

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ways hated it, especially in the back and see us decimated, when press, but the brutalities now be-you could reduce the casualties ployed with the Inter-County Title German race superiority are evident coming in and coming in promptly? to all. That brutality will soon reach England in the form of air raids. parachute troops and even greater is having a visit with the home folks

dom, a word which is anathema to McElyea was charged with reckless "I must write a few words about the Nazis, America would then be- driving involving personal injury come Public Enemy No. 1 to Hitler. and gained release on \$1,000 bail. we can, but, if we do, we shall have charge. sible aid to the Allies, for your own sakes and for the sake of the pre- In her own interests and for the In her own interests and for the hearing in the matter has been set servation of the freedom of the sake of Religion, Morality, Freedom for Tuesday of the coming week. and common Humanity, "I do not need to tell you what must send us help and send it quickthe success of Hitlerism means, for ly in every way possible, military, your press must have informed you naval, and in the air. She must of the inhumanities committed in come in at once, with both feet, Holland, Belgium. Poland, Czecho-slovakia. Denmark and Norway. I firmness of resolve. We might win don't think you would ever accuse by ourselves, but can you Amerime of sensationalism, for I have alcans, with a clear conscience, sit ing committed in the name of the and suffering immeasureably by

"There is just one more point I would like to make. You can read from a distance of 6,000 miles what fiendishness, for of all people in the World Hitler hates us most. If Eng-does not make pleasant reading. We does not make pleasant reading. We land and France fall all Europe will are very much closer at hand, but become part of the Nazi Empire. still only know second-hand. Next Our colonies and dominions and week, perhaps the week after, we

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can the children reach them in

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